

## United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Illinois

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#### Carol A. Doyle

Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Education: Iowa 1978 BBA; Loyola (Chicago) 1982 JD  
 Began Service: July 26, 1999  
 Term Expires: 2013

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable John A. Nordberg, United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1982-1985)

**Legal Practice:** Sidley & Austin (1985-1999)

### Staff

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#### Eugene R. Wedoff

Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1950  
 Education: Chicago 1972 BA, 1975 JD  
 Began Service: September 16, 1987  
 Term Expires: 2015

**Judicial:** Chief Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Illinois (2002-2007)

**Legal Practice:** Jenner & Block (1975-1987)

**Nonprofit:** Executive Committee Member-at-Large, Board of Directors, American Bankruptcy Institute

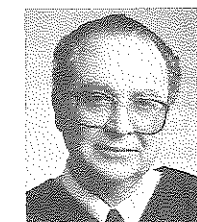
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#### Jack B. Schmetterer

Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1931  
 Education: Yale 1952 BA, 1955 LLB, 1955 JD  
 Began Service: May 9, 1985  
 Term Expires: November 5, 2013

**Academic:** Instructor, Yale University (1954-1955); Instructor, University of Georgia (1957-1958); Visiting Professor, University of Illinois, Chicago Circle Campus (1974-1978)

**Government:** Assistant U.S. Attorney, Illinois - Northern District, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, United States Department of Justice (1963-1970); Assistant U.S. Attorney, Illinois - Northern District, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, United States Department of Justice (1966-1968); First Assistant U.S. Attorney, Illinois - Northern District, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, United States Department of Justice (1968-1970); First Assistant State's Attorney, Office of the State's Attorney, County of Cook, Illinois (1971-1973); Trustee, Board of Trustees, Village of Northbrook, Illinois (1984-1985)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, Schmetterer & Schmetterer (1958-1963); Partner, Freeman, Schmetterer, Freeman & Salzman (1970-1971); Partner, Gottlieb & Schwartz (1973-1985)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1956-1958)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The Decalogue Society of Lawyers; Federal Bar Association; The John Howard Association; Board of Directors, Just the Beginning Foundation; Lawyers Club of Chicago

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#### Susan Pierson Sonderby

Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1947  
 Education: Illinois 1969 BA;  
 John Marshall 1973 JD  
 Began Service: October 1, 1986  
 Term Expires: September 30, 2014

**Academic:** Adjunct Faculty, DePaul University (1986)

**Government:** Special Assistant Attorney General, State of Illinois (1972-1977); Assistant Attorney General, Litigation Section, Consumer Protection Division, State of Illinois (1977-1978); Assistant Attorney General and Chief, Consumer Protection Division, Office of the Attorney General, State of Illinois (1978-1983); Assistant Attorney General, State of Illinois (1983); United States Trustee, Northern District of Illinois, United States Attorney's Office, United States Department of Justice, Ronald Reagan Administration (1983-1986)

**Judicial:** Chief Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Illinois (1998-2002)

**Legal Practice:** Partner, O'Brien, Garrison, Berard, Kusta & De Witt (1973-1977)

**Current Memberships:** American Association for Justice; American Bankruptcy Institute; American College of Bankruptcy; Chicago Chapter, Federal Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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#### John H. Squires

Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1946  
 Education: Illinois 1968 BA, 1971 JD  
 Began Service: January 1988  
 Term Expires: December 31, 2016

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, John Marshall Law School (1994)

**Legal Practice:** Attorney, Brown, Hay & Stephens (1971-1988)

### Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge John H. Squires continued

**Military Service:** United States Air Force (1969)

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#### Manuel Barbosa

Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1947  
 Education: John Marshall JD  
 Began Service: March 23, 1998  
 Term Expires: March 22, 2012

**Government:** Assistant Attorney, Office of the State Attorney, County of Kane, Illinois (1977-1978); Chairman, Human Rights Commission, State of Illinois (1980-1988)

**Legal Practice:** Miller, Feda, Barbosa (1978-1988)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Illinois State Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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#### Bruce W. Black

Bankruptcy Judge

Education: Bradley 1966 BA; Illinois 1971 JD  
 Began Service: August 13, 2001  
 Term Expires: August 12, 2015

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Robert D. Morgan, United States District Court for the Central District of Illinois (1971-1972)

**Government:** Assistant State's Attorney, Office of the State Attorney, State of Illinois (1975-1976); State's Attorney, State of Illinois (1976-1985)

**Judicial:** Circuit Judge, Tenth Judicial Circuit of Illinois (1985-2001)

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